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Group Art Unit: 1756

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PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR MINIMIZING THERMAL  
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## Response to Restriction Requirement

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated 04/21/2004, the applicants elect Group I, claims 1-13 and 22, drawn to a process, classified in class 430, subclass 5.

Respectfully submitted,

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